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#### **MONDAY, JANUARY 22, 2018**

#### FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATIVE DAY

### CALL TO ORDER

The Senate met at 4:00 p.m., and was called to order by Mr. Speaker McNally.

# **PRAYER**

The proceedings were opened with prayer by Pastor Dale Darley of First Baptist Church Kingston in Kingston, Tennessee, a guest of Senator Yager.

## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Senator Yager led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

# SALUTE TO THE FLAG OF TENNESSEE

Senator Yager led the Senate in the Salute to the Flag of Tennessee.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The roll call was taken with the following results:

Present . . . . . . . . . . . . 32

Senators present were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harper, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Kyle, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Southerland, Stevens, Swann, Tate, Watson, Yager, Yarbro and Mr. Speaker McNally--32.

#### **MOTION**

Senator Norris moved, pursuant to Rule 32 and Article II, Section 18 of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee, **Senate Bills Nos. 1647 through 1713** be passed on first consideration, which motion prevailed.

#### **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The Speaker announced the following bills were filed for introduction and passed first consideration:

#### Senate Bill No. 1647 by Senator Watson.

Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- As introduced, requires that certain pension stabilization reserve trusts for state employees and teachers be used exclusively for participants and beneficiaries of the retirement plans; makes other related revisions. Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 10; Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 11 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 12.

#### Senate Bill No. 1648 by Senator Watson.

Auditing -- As introduced, expands the scope of audits to be conducted by the department of audit on certain state agencies. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 17 and Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 3.

#### Senate Bill No. 1649 by Senator Norris.

Education, Curriculum -- As introduced, establishes liability framework for employers that accept or employ students receiving a secondary education to participate in work-based learning coordinated through the student's LEA; creates franchise and excise tax credit for taxpayers employing work-based learning students. Amends TCA Title 49; Title 50, Chapter 6 and Title 67.

# Senate Bill No. 1650 by Senator Norris.

Statutes and Codification -- As introduced, codifies the Acts of the 2017 regular session.

## **Senate Bill No. 1651** by Senator Stevens.

Child Custody and Support -- As introduced, specifies that if one parent desires to relocate with a child more than 50 miles and the other parent objects, the sole issue for the court to determine is if relocation is in the best interests of the child using the child custody factors and the relocating parent has the burden of showing it is in the best interest by clear and convincing evidence. Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 6, Part 1.

# Senate Bill No. 1652 by Senator Stevens.

Obion County -- As introduced, removes the restriction on the use of the revenue from the hotel occupancy tax in Obion County. Amends TCA Section 67-4-1425.

## Senate Bill No. 1653 by Senator Stevens.

Obion County -- Subject to local approval, clarifies that the proceeds from the hotel/motel taxes in Obion County that currently go to Reelfoot Lake Tourism shall now be deposited in the general fund. Amends Chapter 133 of the Private Acts of 1991.

## **Senate Bill No. 1654** by Senator Stevens.

Criminal Procedure -- As introduced, extends availability of writ of error coram nobis to cases where accused pled guilty or nolo contendere, upon a discovery of subsequently discovered or new evidence. Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 26.

#### **Senate Bill No. 1655** by Senator Stevens.

Process, Service of -- As introduced, authorizes, in an action by landlord to repossess landlord's property, service of process on a contractually named party and not just on an adult found in possession of property. Amends TCA Section 29-18-115.

#### **Senate Bill No. 1656** by Senator Stevens.

Public Records -- As introduced, classifies as confidential the records of human trafficking service providers unless the person to whom the records pertain consents to release of the records or a court orders release of the records. Amends TCA Section 10-7-504 and Section 36-3-623.

#### Senate Bill No. 1657 by Senator Dickerson.

Professions and Occupations -- As introduced, enacts the "Opportunity to Earn Act" to repeal requirements that authorization to engage in regulated professions and occupations be revoked for persons who default on student loans. Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 6, Part 3; Title 23, Chapter 3; Title 38, Chapter 1; Title 49; Title 55; Title 56; Title 62 and Title 63.

#### Senate Bill No. 1658 by Senator Dickerson.

Health, Dept. of -- As introduced, requires license applications to department for public assembly to include the types of food that will be served and whether it is perishable and subject to spoilage. Amends TCA Title 68.

#### **Senate Bill No. 1659** by Senator Dickerson.

TennCare -- As introduced, specifically makes the use of generic drugs pursuant to the Tennessee Affordable Drug Act of 2005 applicable to the TennCare program. Amends TCA Title 53, Chapter 10 and Title 71, Chapter 5.

#### **Senate Bill No. 1660** by Senator Dickerson.

Aircraft and Airports -- As introduced, prohibits an airport or airport authority in this state from charging a parking fee for airport parking designated for persons with disabilities. Amends TCA Title 42 and Title 55, Chapter 21, Part 1.

# **Senate Bill No. 1661** by Senator Dickerson.

Controlled Substances -- As introduced, increases the penalty for certain distribution or transfer criminal offenses involving fentanyl, or an equipotent amount of carfentanil, sufentanil, or the analogues of fentanyl to B felony if amount between 0.1 and 10 grams and to Class A felony if amount more than 10 grams. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 4.

#### Senate Bill No. 1662 by Senator Dickerson.

Business and Commerce -- As introduced, recognizes the legal authority to use blockchain technology and smart contracts in conducting electronic transactions; protects ownership rights of certain information secured by blockchain technology. Amends TCA Title 12; Title 47; Title 48; Title 61 and Title 66.

#### **Senate Bill No. 1663** by Senator Dickerson.

Education -- As introduced, specifies that excess instructional time may be used for individualized education program team meetings and school-wide or system-wide instructional planning meetings; requires proposals for use of excess time for instructional planning meetings to be approved by the commissioner of education. Amends TCA Section 49-6-3004.

#### Senate Bill No. 1664 by Senator Dickerson.

Schools, Charter -- As introduced, requires that the location of a charter school be within the jurisdictional boundaries of the authorizing LEA; requires a charter school to seek a delay in opening if the charter school has not secured a physical location 60 days prior to the opening of the charter school. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 13, Part 1.

# Senate Bill No. 1665 by Senator Dickerson.

Education, Higher -- As introduced, changes, from September 15 to September 30, the date by which each public institution of higher education operating a hearing center must provide a report of the number of patients served, patient hours, hearing aids dispensed to patients, and revenues from operations to the Tennessee higher education commission and the education committees of the general assembly. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 11; Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9.

# Senate Bill No. 1666 by Senator Dickerson.

Children's Services, Dept. of -- As introduced, requires DCS to provide a residential mental health facility that contracts with DCS for provision of services to children in state custody education funding equal to the average daily rate of education funding. Amends TCA Section 49-3-363.

#### Senate Bill No. 1667 by Senator Green.

Firearms and Ammunition -- As introduced, eliminates separate offense of felon in possession of handgun and instead applies offense of felon in possession of firearm to felons possessing handguns; establishes that person convicted of nonviolent felony, including felony drug offense, does not commit offense of felon in possession of firearm if person has had conviction expunged or has had rights of citizenship fully restored. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13.

## Senate Bill No. 1668 by Senator Green.

State Government -- As introduced, requires each department of state government to submit to the government operations committee of the senate and the government operations committee of the house of representatives documentation of three to five measureable activities of the department; requires the government operations committee of the senate and the government operations committee of the house of representatives to evaluate the departments' measureable activities and produce a department score card. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 1.

#### Senate Bill No. 1669 by Senator Green.

Election Laws -- As introduced, adds speaker of the senate and speaker of the house of representatives to the list of persons to whom the secretary of state sends the consolidated report on the Help America Vote Act. Amends TCA Title 2.

### Senate Bill No. 1670 by Senator Green.

Pharmacy, Pharmacists -- As introduced, permits a pharmacist to honor a valid prescription written by a physician in another state or territory for a person displaced by a disaster. Amends TCA Title 53: Title 58 and Title 63, Chapter 10.

# **Senate Bill No. 1671** by Senator Green.

Taxes, Sales -- As introduced, requires the department of revenue to report to the finance, ways and means committees on the number of printed and digital periodicals exempt from sales and use tax, including the annual revenue loss and any recommendations. Amends TCA Title 29; Title 47 and Title 67, Chapter 6.

#### Senate Bill No. 1672 by Senator Green.

Taxes, Excise -- As introduced, reverses Tennessee's decoupling from federal bonus depreciation for excise tax purposes; deletes requirement that bonus depreciation taken as a deduction on federal income tax return be added back to taxpayer's income in calculating net earnings for Tennessee excise tax purposes. Amends TCA Section 67-4-2006.

## Senate Bill No. 1673 by Senator Green.

Motor Vehicles -- As introduced, increases maximum authorized truck-tractor and semitrailer length from 53 feet to 57 feet; increases maximum height from 13.5 feet to 14 feet; and increases maximum authorized gross vehicle weight on non-interstate highways from 80,000 pounds to 84,000 pounds. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 7.

#### Senate Bill No. 1674 by Senator Green.

Tattoos and Piercings -- As introduced, authorizes a tattoo artist to perform tattoo removal only as permitted by rules promulgated by the department of health. Amends TCA Section 62-38-209.

# Senate Bill No. 1675 by Senator Green.

Taxes, Ad Valorem -- As introduced, provides continued eligibility for a disabled veteran's property tax relief during temporary periods of confinement in a nursing home or hospitalization if the disabled veteran intends to return to the residence once recovered. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 7.

# Senate Bill No. 1676 by Senator Green.

Lottery, Scholarships and Programs -- As introduced, eliminates the one-year Tennessee residency requirement for a dual enrollment grant; requires that a student be a Tennessee resident on the date of application for, or for renewal of, a dual enrollment grant. Amends TCA Section 49-4-930.

# Senate Bill No. 1677 by Senator Green.

Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- As introduced, expands the teacher's bill of rights to include an educator's right to be guaranteed time to plan and prepare for classroom instruction prior to the first day of class each semester. Amends TCA Section 49-5-209.

## Senate Bill No. 1678 by Senator Green.

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities -- As introduced, prohibits any entity from operating as an accrediting agency of health care facilities in this state if the assessment of pain management is a part of the entity's accrediting process. Amends TCA Title 33; Title 56; Title 63 and Title 68.

## Senate Bill No. 1679 by Senator Green.

Utilities, Utility Districts -- As introduced, prohibits certain actions by electric and natural gas utilities regarding smart meters. Amends TCA Title 7; Title 47, Chapter 18 and Title 65.

### **Senate Bill No. 1680** by Senator Green.

Licenses -- As introduced, requires information contained in an application for licensure as a locksmith to be posted on the department of commerce and insurance website within 30 calendar days of the date a license is either granted or refused. Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 11 and Title 62, Chapter 32.

## Senate Bill No. 1681 by Senator Green.

Election Laws -- As introduced, requires the coordinator of elections to engage a cybersecurity firm to perform a study of the voter data system in this state and produce a report that details the risk to voter data posed by hacking.

## Senate Bill No. 1682 by Senator Green.

Education, Higher -- As introduced, adds in-state tuition and fees and any use of money provided to the state through taxes to the definition of "state or local public benefit" in the Eligibility Verification for Entitlements Act. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9.

#### Senate Bill No. 1683 by Senator Massey.

Sheriffs -- As introduced, requires sheriffs to use 10 percent or more of the funds from booking and processing fees for annual diversity training for certain county correctional employees; requires sheriffs to use any remaining funds as annual hazard pay supplements for certain county correctional employees. Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 51, Part 2; Title 8, Chapter 8; Title 40, Chapter 7, Part 1 and Title 41.

## **Senate Bill No. 1684** by Senator Briggs.

Tennessee Higher Education Commission -- As introduced, requires publication of the Tennessee Postsecondary Education Fact Book by March 1 each year instead of by March 15. Amends TCA Title 49.

#### **Senate Bill No. 1685** by Senator Briggs.

Taxes, Sales -- As introduced, provides for a refund of state sales tax paid on expenditures to rehabilitate historic structures under certain circumstances. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 11; Title 13 and Title 67.

## Senate Bill No. 1686 by Senator Briggs.

Controlled Substances -- As introduced, requires the district attorney general of each judicial district to notify the commissioner of health of the name and other such identifying information, as may be designated by the commissioner, of any individual convicted in a court of competent jurisdiction within that judicial district of a violation of the Tennessee Drug Control Act of 1989 and adds those individuals to the controlled substance database. Amends TCA Title 53, Chapter 10, Part 3.

# Senate Bill No. 1687 by Senator Briggs.

Taxes, Sales -- As introduced, reduces the department of revenue's administration fee of 1.125 percent imposed on local governments for remittance of local option sales tax by 0.375 percent annually for the next three fiscal years. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6.

# Senate Bill No. 1688 by Senator Briggs.

Political Parties -- As introduced, prohibits a statewide political party or recognized minor party from adopting a party rule that would preclude an honorably discharged veteran from qualifying as a candidate for office based on the number of times the veteran voted during the previous three general elections. Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 13, Part 1.

### **Senate Bill No. 1689** by Senator Briggs.

Animal Cruelty and Abuse -- As introduced, applies the criminal offense of animal cruelty to the restraint of a dog with a chain, cord, tether, cable, or similar device while a disaster is imminent or occurring. Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 44, Chapter 17.

## **Senate Bill No. 1690** by Senator Lundberg.

Election Laws -- As introduced, allows voter who was issued an absentee ballot to vote a provisional ballot. Amends TCA Section 2-6-301 and Section 2-7-112.

### **Senate Bill No. 1691** by Senator Lundberg.

Local Education Agencies -- As introduced, allows any LEA, rather than just the Metropolitan Nashville public school system, using the career academy or small learning community model to extend career and technical education (CTE) class sizes in grades 9 through 12; allows an LEA to seek a waiver from the commissioner of education to extend the CTE class size average in grades 9 through 12. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1 and Title 49, Chapter 11.

#### Senate Bill No. 1692 by Senator Lundberg.

Probation and Parole -- As introduced, prevents an inmate convicted of a felony from using sentence reduction credits until the minimum release eligibility date applicable to the inmate is reached. Amends TCA Title 39: Title 40 and Title 41.

# Senate Bill No. 1693 by Senator Lundberg.

Child Custody and Support -- As introduced, eliminates procedural distinctions between parents who spend substantially equal time with child and those who do not when considering child custody in parental relocation; focuses determination on best interests of child; establishes burden of proof to demonstrate relocation is proper on relocating parent. Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 6.

#### Senate Bill No. 1694 by Senator Lundberg.

Motor Vehicles -- As introduced, increases, from \$400 to \$1,500, the minimum property damage threshold for which a motor vehicle accident requires a written report to be filed with the department of safety; increases, from \$500 to \$1,500, the property damage threshold differentiating a Class B misdemeanor from a Class A misdemeanor for the offense of leaving the scene of an accident. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 10 and Title 55, Chapter 12.

#### Senate Bill No. 1695 by Senator Lundberg.

Utilities, Utility Districts -- As introduced, changes, from February 1 to March 1, the date by which the comptroller of the treasury must provide a written report to the speakers listing the average annual water loss contained in the annual audit for publicly owned water systems and wastewater facilities operating with financial losses. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 7; Title 9 and Title 68.

#### Senate Bill No. 1696 by Senator Lundberg.

Comptroller, State -- As introduced, revises various provisions governing comptroller of the treasury audit and accounting requirements, including the preparation of a uniform audit manual by the comptroller. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 9; Title 10; Title 11; Title 12; Title 13; Title 49; Title 54; Title 64 and Title 68.

# Senate Bill No. 1697 by Senator Lundberg.

Tennessee Bureau of Investigation -- As introduced, allows uniformed law enforcement officers of the TBI who retire after at least 25 years to receive a retired commission card and the officer's service firearm, as is currently the case with TBI agents who retire after 25 years. Amends TCA Title 38, Chapter 6.

# **Senate Bill No. 1698** by Senator Lundberg.

Animal Cruelty and Abuse -- As introduced, expands the requirement that sellers of dogs and cats be licensed to include sellers who sell to individuals and not just sellers who sell at flea markets, who sell for resale, or who sell for research purposes; establishes application and renewal fees of \$125 for sellers of dogs and cats who sell to individuals. Amends TCA Title 44, Chapter 17, Part 1.

#### Senate Bill No. 1699 by Senator Lundberg.

Local Education Agencies -- As introduced, requires local boards of education to create a policy to select a non-voting student liaison to the board; requires that the student selected be a high school student in good standing within the board's district. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 2, Part 2.

## Senate Bill No. 1700 by Senator Lundberg.

Education, Higher -- As introduced, requires state institutions of higher education that enroll students who receive state financial aid to annually provide the student with an estimate of the total amount of education loans taken out by the student and potential payoff estimate. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7.

#### Senate Bill No. 1701 by Senator Lundberg.

Tourism -- As introduced, increases investment period by five years for a border region retail tourism development district. Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 40.

### Senate Bill No. 1702 by Senator Lundberg.

Alcoholic Beverages -- As introduced, redefines "wine" for purposes of sale in retail food stores; removes limit on number of retail stores a person may own; deletes "Unfair Wine Sales Law". Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 3.

#### **Senate Bill No. 1703** by Senator Lundberg.

Liens -- As introduced, requires county register to provide notice by mail to landowner within 10 days of registration of judgment lien against real property. Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 11; Title 8, Chapter 13; Title 25, Chapter 5 and Title 67, Chapter 5.

#### **Senate Bill No. 1704** by Senator Tate.

State Symbols -- As introduced, expands the list of animals recognized as state pets to include any animal adopted from an animal shelter or rescue facility instead of only dogs and cats so adopted. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1, Part 3.

# Senate Bill No. 1705 by Senator Yager.

Highways, Roads and Bridges -- As introduced, requires chief administrative officers of highway departments to maintain signs or markers identifying county roads. Amends TCA Title 5; Title 54, Chapter 5 and Title 54, Chapter 7.

## Senate Bill No. 1706 by Senator Kyle.

Election Laws -- As introduced, authorizes a qualified person to register and vote on election day or update the person's voter information and vote on election day. Amends TCA Title 2.

#### Senate Bill No. 1707 by Senator Kyle.

Students -- As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Hunger-Free Students Act"; clarifies that state board of education rules that permit schools to impose sanctions against students owing a school debt do not authorize sanctions against students owing a meal debt. Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 71.

## Senate Bill No. 1708 by Senator Jackson.

Local Education Agencies -- As introduced, consolidates provisions governing earthquake and fire drills. Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 68.

# Senate Bill No. 1709 by Senator Jackson.

Agriculture -- As introduced, authorizes the creation of a corn promotion board and an assessment of one cent per bushel sold if a majority of corn producers voting in a referendum on the question vote in favor of such measures. Amends TCA Title 43.

## Senate Bill No. 1710 by Senator Dickerson.

Health Care -- As introduced, enacts the "Medical Cannabis Act"; establishes medical cannabis commission for regulation of cannabis-related health care. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 4; Title 50; Title 53, Chapter 11; Title 67 and Title 68.

#### Senate Bill No. 1711 by Senator Niceley.

Railroads -- As introduced, requires railroad companies, prior to the application of an herbicide within 100 feet of residential property, to provide each resident of such residential property with written notice of such application no less than 30 calendar days prior to such application. Amends TCA Title 65 and Title 68.

## Senate Bill No. 1712 by Senator Niceley.

Treasurer, State -- As introduced, increases from \$25,000 to \$100,000, the maximum amount of a claim filed against the state for which the treasurer can settle without seeking authority from the governor and comptroller of the treasury. Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 8, Part 4 and Title 20, Chapter 13.

### Senate Bill No. 1713 by Senator Niceley.

Law Enforcement -- As introduced, clarifies that the primary duty of a conservator of the peace during unlawful assemblies by more than 10 people, riots, or other breaches of the peace is to protect the lives and property of citizens and prohibits a local governmental official from issuing any order or directive that would prevent or hinder a law enforcement officer from protecting property and lives during those times. Amends TCA Title 29, Chapter 20, Part 2 and Title 38, Chapter 3, Part 1.

#### MOTION

Senator Norris moved, pursuant to Rule 33 and Article II, Section 18 of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee, that **Senate Bills Nos. 1639 through 1646** be passed on second

consideration and be referred to the appropriate committees or held on the Clerk's desk, which motion prevailed.

## SENATE BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The Speaker announced the following bills passed second consideration and were referred to the appropriate committees or held on the Clerk's desk:

Senate Bill No. 1639 referred to the Committee on Transportation and Safety.

Senate Bill No. 1640 referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

**Senate Bill No. 1641** referred to the Committee on Transportation and Safety.

**Senate Bill No. 1642** referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

Senate Bill No. 1643 referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 1644** referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 1645** referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 1646 referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

#### **MOTION**

Senator Norris moved, pursuant to Rule 21, **Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 495 through 506**; and **Senate Resolutions Nos. 146 and 147** be passed on first consideration and lie over, which motion prevailed.

# **INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS**

The Speaker announced the following resolutions were filed for introduction. Pursuant to Rule 21, the resolutions lie over.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 495 by Senator Dickerson.

Memorials, Recognition -- Jack Pearson.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 496 by Senator Dickerson.

Memorials, Public Service -- Nashville Predators Foundation.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 497** by Senator Briggs.

Memorials, Recognition -- Shen Yun Performing Arts.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 498** by Senators Massey and Briggs.

Memorials, Recognition -- Kenneth W. Lowe.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 499 by Senator Gresham.

Memorials, Recognition -- Selmer First United Methodist Church, 125th Anniversary.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 500 by Senator Gresham.

Memorials, Death -- Robert Jones.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 501** by Senator Gresham. Memorials, Death -- Dr. H.K. Sorrell.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 502** by Senator Gresham. Memorials, Death -- Peter Lucius "Pete" Reagan.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 503** by Senator Gresham. Memorials, Death -- William Franklin Tapp.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 504** by Senator Gresham. Memorials, Death -- John Payson Matthews III.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 505** by Senator Gresham. Memorials, Death -- Robert William McGowan, Jr.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 506 by Senator Johnson.

Naming and Designating -- Designates October 2018 as "Eczema Awareness Month" in Tennessee.

**Senate Resolution No. 146** by Senator Tate. Memorials, Retirement -- Dr. Frank Glover Witherspoon.

Senate Resolution No. 147 by Senator Roberts.

Memorials, Recognition -- Kara Gilliam, Governor of 2017 Tennessee Intercollegiate State Legislature.

#### MOTION

Senator Norris moved, pursuant to Rule 21, **House Joint Resolutions Nos. 598, 601, 602** and **604** lie over and be referred to the appropriate committees or held on the Clerk's desk, which motion prevailed.

### **RESOLUTIONS LYING OVER**

The Speaker announced the following resolutions passed second consideration and were referred to the appropriate committees or held on the desk, pursuant to Rule 21:

House Joint Resolution No. 598 -- Memorials, Sports -- Kevin Byard.

The Speaker announced that he had referred House Joint Resolution No. 598 to the Committee on Calendar.

**House Joint Resolution No. 601** -- Memorials, Personal Occasion -- J.B. "Buddy" Glassman, 80th Birthday.

The Speaker announced that he had referred House Joint Resolution No. 601 to the Committee on Calendar.

**House Joint Resolution No. 602** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Andy Marshall, Restaurateur of the Year.

The Speaker announced that he had referred House Joint Resolution No. 602 to the Committee on Calendar.

**House Joint Resolution No. 604** -- Memorials, Death -- Elizabeth M. "Betty" Tinker.

The Speaker announced that he had referred House Joint Resolution No. 604 to the Committee on Calendar.

#### MR. SPEAKER MCNALLY RELINQUISHES CHAIR

Mr. Speaker McNally relinquished the Chair to Deputy Speaker Bowling.

## **CONSENT CALENDAR**

Objections having been raised, the following resolution was placed at the heel of the calendar for Wednesday, January 24, 2018, pursuant to Rule 38: **Senate Joint Resolution No. 480**.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 481** -- Memorials, Sports -- Greeneville High School football team, TSSAA Division I Class 4A State Champions.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 484 -- Memorials, Interns -- Dylan Kade Guthrie.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 485** -- Memorials, Recognition -- Boys & Girls Clubs of the Tennessee Valley, 75th Anniversary.

**Senate Resolution No. 140** -- Memorials, Recognition -- Una Coffman, Roane County Founders' Day Celebration Honoree.

**Senate Resolution No. 141** -- Memorials, Recognition -- Jimmy Ferguson, Roane County Founders' Day Celebration Honoree.

**Senate Resolution No. 142** -- Memorials, Recognition -- Kathy Parks, Roane County Founders' Day Celebration Honoree.

**Senate Resolution No. 143** -- Memorials, Recognition -- James L. Watts, Roane County Founders' Day Celebration Honoree.

House Joint Resolution No. 582 -- Memorials, Death -- Iyalode Nkechi Kianga Ajanaku.

**House Joint Resolution No. 584** -- Memorials, Sports -- Dale Hollow Lakers seventh-grade girls' basketball team.

House Joint Resolution No. 585 -- Memorials, Death -- Patricia Ann Hix.

House Joint Resolution No. 586 -- Memorials, Death -- Connie Wayne Dillehay.

House Joint Resolution No. 587 -- Memorials, Recognition -- Connie Lynn Gray Hardin.

House Joint Resolution No. 588 -- Memorials, Recognition -- James "Jim" David Webb.

**House Joint Resolution No. 589** -- Memorials, Recognition -- Annie McGill Hardison.

House Joint Resolution No. 590 -- Memorials, Recognition -- Ida B. Wells.

House Joint Resolution No. 592 -- Memorials, Retirement -- Bob Duncan.

House Joint Resolution No. 594 -- Memorials, Recognition -- Musicians On Call.

**House Joint Resolution No. 595** -- Memorials, Academic Achievement -- Tennessee Speech and Debate Society.

Senator Roberts moved that all Senate Joint Resolutions and Senate Resolutions be adopted; and all House Joint Resolutions be concurred in, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harper, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Kyle, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Southerland, Stevens, Swann, Tate, Watson, Yager, Yarbro and Mr. Speaker McNally--32.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

#### **MOTION**

Senator Yager moved that Rule 83(8) be suspended for the purpose of placing **Senate Bill No. 1503**; and **Senate Joint Resolution No. 483** on the calendar for the Committee on State and Local Government for Tuesday, January 23, 2018, which motion prevailed.

#### **RECALL OF BILL**

On motion of Senator Briggs, **Senate Bill No. 1506** was recalled from the Committee on State and Local Government.

#### WITHDRAWAL OF BILL

On motion of Senator Briggs, Senate Bill No. 1506 was withdrawn from the Senate.

#### **MOTION**

On motion of Senator Dickerson, his name was added as prime sponsor of **Senate Bills Nos. 176 and 190.** 

On motion of Senator Overbey, his name was removed as sponsor of **Senate Bills Nos. 176** and **190.** 

On motion of Senator Bell, his name was added as prime sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 492**.

On motion of Senator Briggs, his name was removed as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 492**.

On motion of Senator Niceley, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bills Nos. 1045** and 1715.

On motion of Senator Hensley, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 1495**; and **House Joint Resolutions Nos. 587**, **588**, **589** and **592**.

On motion of Senator Swann, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 1514.** 

On motion of Senator Swann and Mr. Speaker McNally; and Senator Briggs, their names were added as sponsors of **Senate Joint Resolution No. 485.** 

On motion of Senator Stevens, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Joint Resolution No. 480.** 

On motion of Mr. Speaker McNally, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Resolutions Nos. 140 and 143.** 

On motion of Senator Massey, her name was added as sponsor of **House Joint Resolution No. 582.** 

On motion, all Senators' names were added as sponsors of **House Joint Resolution No. 590.** 

On motion of Senators Harper and Yarbro, their names were added as sponsors of **House Joint Resolution No. 594.** 

On motion of Senator Massey and Mr. Speaker McNally, their names were added as sponsors of **House Joint Resolution No. 595.** 

#### **ENGROSSED BILLS**

January 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: Your Deputy Chief Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully examined: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 481, 484 and 485; and find same correctly engrossed and ready for transmission to the House.

ALAN WHITTINGTON, Deputy Chief Clerk

## **MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE**

January 23, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the Senate, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633 and 634; adopted, for the Senate's action.

TAMMY LETZLER, Chief Clerk

#### **ENROLLED BILLS**

January 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: Your Deputy Chief Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared Senate Resolutions Nos. 140, 141, 142 and 143; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signature of the Speaker.

ALAN WHITTINGTON, Deputy Chief Clerk

#### **SIGNED**

January 23, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: Senate Resolutions Nos. 140, 141, 142 and 143.

#### REPORT OF DEPUTY CHIEF CLERK

January 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: Your Deputy Chief Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 465, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 473, 474, 475, 476, 478 and 479; for his action.

ALAN WHITTINGTON, Deputy Chief Clerk

#### **MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR**

January 23, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 465, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 473, 474, 475, 476, 478 and 479; with his approval.

DWIGHT E. TARWATER, Counsel to the Governor

# REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CALENDAR CONSENT CALENDAR

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Calendar begs leave to report that we have met and set the following bills on the calendar for Wednesday, January 24, 2018: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491 and 493; Senate Resolutions Nos. 144 and 145; and House Joint Resolution No. 596.

This the 22nd day of January, 2018 ROBERTS, Chairperson

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CALENDAR

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Calendar begs leave to report that we have met and set the following bills on the calendar for Wednesday, January 24, 2018: Senate Joint Resolution No. 480.

This the 22nd day of January, 2018 ROBERTS, Chairperson

# REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CALENDAR CONSENT CALENDAR # 1

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Calendar begs leave to report that we have met and set the following bills on the calendar for Thursday, January 25, 2018: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 598, 601, 602 and 604.

This the 23rd day of January, 2018 ROBERTS, Chairperson

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# REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CALENDAR CONSENT CALENDAR # 2

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Calendar begs leave to report that we have met and set the following bills on the calendar for Thursday, January 25, 2018: House Joint Resolution No. 88.

This the 23rd day of January, 2018 ROBERTS, Chairperson

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CALENDAR

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Calendar begs leave to report that we have met and set the following bills on the calendar for Thursday, January 25, 2018: Senate Bill No. 1446.

This the 23rd day of January, 2018 ROBERTS, Chairperson

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Senator Norris moved the Senate adjourn until 8:30 a.m., Wednesday, January 24, 2018, which motion prevailed.